

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK**

In re

CUSTOMS AND TAX ADMINISTRATION
OF THE KINGDOM OF DENMARK
(SKATTEFORVALTNINGEN) TAX
REFUND SCHEME LITIGATION

MASTER DOCKET

18-md-2865 (LAK)

This document relates to: 18-cv-05053,
18-cv-09797, 18-cv-09836, 18-cv-09837,
18-cv-09838, 18-cv-09839, 18-cv-09840,
18-cv-09841, 18-cv-10100¹

DECLARATION OF BRANDON R. DILLMAN

I, Brandon R. Dillman, depose and say as follows:

1. I am an associate of the law firm K&L Gates LLP.
2. K&L Gates LLP is counsel for Defendants / Third-Party Plaintiffs Darren Wittwer, Robert Crema, and Acer Investment Group, LLC in the above-captioned related actions.
3. I have personal knowledge of the matters discussed in this declaration.

¹ The related actions include the following cases, which were pending in the District of Utah prior to transfer to this Court for pre-trial purposes: *SKAT v. DW Construction, Inc. Retirement Plan*, 18-cv-09797 (S.D.N.Y.); *SKAT v. Kamco Investments Inc. Pension Plan*, 18-cv-09836 (S.D.N.Y.); *SKAT v. Kamco LP Profit Sharing Pension Plan*, 18-cv-09837 (S.D.N.Y.); *SKAT v. Linden Associates Defined Benefit Plan*, 18-cv-09838 (S.D.N.Y.); *SKAT v. Moira Associates LLC 401K Plan*, 18-cv-09839 (S.D.N.Y.); *SKAT v. Riverside Associates Defined Benefit Plan*, 18-cv-09840 (S.D.N.Y.); and *SKAT v. American Investment Group of New York, L.P. Pension Plan*, 18-cv-09841 (S.D.N.Y.) (together, the “Utah Actions”). The related actions also include *SKAT v. Newsong Fellowship Church 401k Plan*, 18-cv-10100 (S.D.N.Y.), which was pending in the Eastern District of Pennsylvania prior to transfer to this Court for pre-trial purposes, and *SKAT v. The Goldstein Law Group PC 401k Profit Sharing Plan*, 18-cv-05053 (S.D.N.Y.), which was pending in the Southern District of New York prior to multi-district consolidation.

4. Attached hereto as Exhibit 1 is a true and correct copy of excerpts of the rough draft transcript for the February 23, 2022 deposition of Third-Party Defendant ED&F Man Capital Markets, Ltd.'s ("ED&F") 30(b)(6) representative, Andrew Wall, at which Plaintiff SKAT deposed ED&F.

5. Attached hereto as Exhibit 2 is a true and correct copy of transcript excerpts of the October 8, 2021 deposition of Third-Party Defendant ED&F's 30(b)(6) representative, Shahab Hashemi, at which Plaintiff SKAT deposed ED&F.

I, Brandon R. Dillman, hereby declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

Dated: March 4, 2022

/s/ Brandon R. Dillman
Brandon R. Dillman